

Subject: Value of coins stolen  
from Library's coin collection

Librarian: Shorey, Katherine

Greene County District Library  
[Xenia, OH]

1933

GREENE COUNTY DISTRICT LIBRARY

XENIA, OHIO



KATHARINE SHOREY, LIBRARIAN

June 19, 1933

American Numismatic Society  
Broadway at 156th Street  
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

The following list of coins have been stolen from our coin collection and the Insurance Company will not settle until we are able to place a value on each coin. Can you tell us what the selling value of each would be?

Sincerely yours,

*Katharine Shorey*  
Librarian.

KS\*HS

U.S. white metal 1 ¢ - 1864	.10
U.S. pewter Continental currency - 1776	# 12. —
U.S. Copper $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ - 1826	.35
U.S. Silver 3¢ - 1862	.15
U.S. copper 2¢ - 1865	.10
U.S. copper 1¢ - 1900	.05
U.S. copper 1¢ - 1798	.50
U.S. copper 1¢ - 1899	.05
U.S. silver $\frac{1}{2}$ dollar (proof coin rare) - 1858	\$ 1. —
U.S. copper 1¢ - 1896	.05
U.S. copper 1¢ - 1902	.05
U.S. copper $\frac{1}{2}$ dollar (copy) Phila. - 1792	.75
S.A. (U.S. of Colombia) white metal $2\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ - 1881	.05

June 22, 1933.

Miss Katharine Shorey  
Greene County District Library  
Xenia, Ohio.

Dear Miss Shorey:

It is difficult to put an exact price on coins without seeing them, on account of condition. We, however, have endeavored to put a medium price that these coins would sell for. As you presumably want them itemized, herewith is the list and our price:

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Very truly yours,

HW:JG

Curator